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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Andreas Gründl et al  
Title: Hybrid Driving System For A Motor Vehicle  
Application Serial No.(Unknown, but based on PCT/EP03/11370, filed October 14, 2003)  
Examiner: Unknown

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Prior to the examination on the merits of the above-identified application, please  
amend the subject application as follows:

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on  
page 2 of this Amendment.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this Amendment.